



06/20/01

I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being mailed via "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service of the United States Postal Services (Express Mail Label No. EL 841 307 486 US) on the date shown below in an envelope addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Washington, D.C. 20231

Dated: June 20, 2001

By:

Patricia Muñoz

Certificate of Express Mailing Under 37 C.F.R. §1.10



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR FILING APPLICATION

Under Rule 53(a), (b) & (f)

(No Filing Fee or Oath/Declaration)

(Do NOT use for Provisional or PCT Applications)

Use for Design or Utility Applications

PATENT
APPLICATION**RULE 53(f) NO DECLARATION**Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Atty. Dkt.

82045-272204

M#

Client Ref

Date:

June 20, 2001

Sir:

1. This is a Request for filing a new Patent Application (☐ Design ☒ Utility) entitled:

2. (Complete) Title:

STANDARDS DEVELOPMENT PACKAGE METHOD AND SYSTEM

without a filing fee or Oath/Declaration but for which is enclosed the following:

3. ☒ Abstract 1 page(s).4. 35 Pages of Specification (only spec. and claims); 5. ☐ Specification in non-English language

6. 44 Numbered claim(s); and

7. ☒ Drawings: 29 sheet(s) ☒ 1 set informal; 8. ☐ formal of size: ☐ A4 ☒ 11"9. DOMESTIC/INTERNATIONAL priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(e)/120/365(c) based on the following provisional, nonprovisional and/or PCT international application(s):

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1) 60/216,852	July 7, 2000	(2)	
(3)		(4)	
(5)		(6)	

10. FOREIGN priority is claimed under 35 USC 119(a)-(d)/365(b) based on filing in

Application No.	Filing Date	Application No.	Filing Date
(1)		(2)	
(3)		(4)	
(5)			

☐ See 3rd page for additional priorities11. (No.) Certified copy (copies): ☐ attached; ☐ previously filed (date) _____
in U.S. Application No. _____ / _____ filed on _____12. ☐ This is a reissue of Patent No. _____13. ☐ See top first page re prior Provisional, National, International application(s) (X box only if info is there and do not complete corresponding item 14 or 15.)14. ☐ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line -- This is a ☐ Continuation-in-Part
☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation ☐ Substitute Application (MPEP 201.09) of:14(a) ☐ National Appln. No. _____ / _____ filed -- (M#) --14(b) ☐ International Appln. No. PCT/ _____ filed _____ which
designated the U.S., and that International Application ☐ was ☐ was not published
under PCT Article 21(2) in English.--15. ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line: --This application
claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/ 216,852 , filed July 7 2000 --

16. Extension to date: ☐ concurrently filed ☐ not needed ☐ previously filed
17. ☐ Small Entity Status is claimed (**pre-filing confirmation required**)
- 17(a) ☐ Attached: (No.) Small Entity Statement(s). (Since 9/8/00 Small Entity Statement **not essential** to make claim)
- 17(b) ☐ See **NONPUBLICATION REQUEST** under Rule 213(a) attached (PAT-258)
18. ☐ Prior application is assigned to

by Assignment recorded _____ Reel _____ Frame _____

19. ☐ **Attached:**

20. This application is made by the following named inventor(s) (**Double check instructions for accuracy.:**
(Listing of inventor(s) **not** a requirement, but list if known)

(1) Inventor	Philip	H.	GOATLY
	First	Middle Initial	Family Name
Residence	Chelmsford	United Kingdom	Great Britain
	City	State/Foreign Country	Country of Citizenship
Mailing Address			
(include Zip Code)			

(2) Inventor	Kara		WALES
	First	Middle Initial	Family Name
Residence	London	United Kingdom	Great Britain
	City	State/Foreign Country	Country of Citizenship
Mailing Address			
(include Zip Code)			

(3) Inventor	Peter		BROOKS
	First	Middle Initial	Family Name
Residence	West Sussex	United Kingdom	Great Britain
	City	State/Foreign Country	Country of Citizenship
Mailing Address			
(include Zip Code)			

(4) Inventor			
	First	Middle Initial	Family Name
Residence			
	City	State/Foreign Country	Country of Citizenship
Mailing Address			
(include Zip Code)			

21. NOTE: FOR ADDITIONAL INVENTORS, check box ☐
and attach sheet with same information regarding additional inventors.

**Pillsbury Winthrop LLP
Intellectual Property Group**

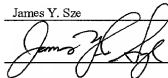
50 Fremont Street

By: Atty: James Y. Sze

Reg. No. **43,943**

San Francisco, CA 94105-2228
Tel: (415) 983-1000
Atty/Sec: JYS/pm

Sig:



Fax: (415) 983-1200
Tel: (619) 544-3108

NOTE: File in duplicate with 2 post card receipts (PAT-103) & attachments